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For:	USING ELECTRONIC SECURITY VALUE UNITS TO CONTROL ACCESS TO A RESOURCE		

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir,

This Reply is in response to the Office Action dated March 15, 2004. **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 10 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 17 of this paper. Please amend the above referenced application as follows.